

FIG. 3



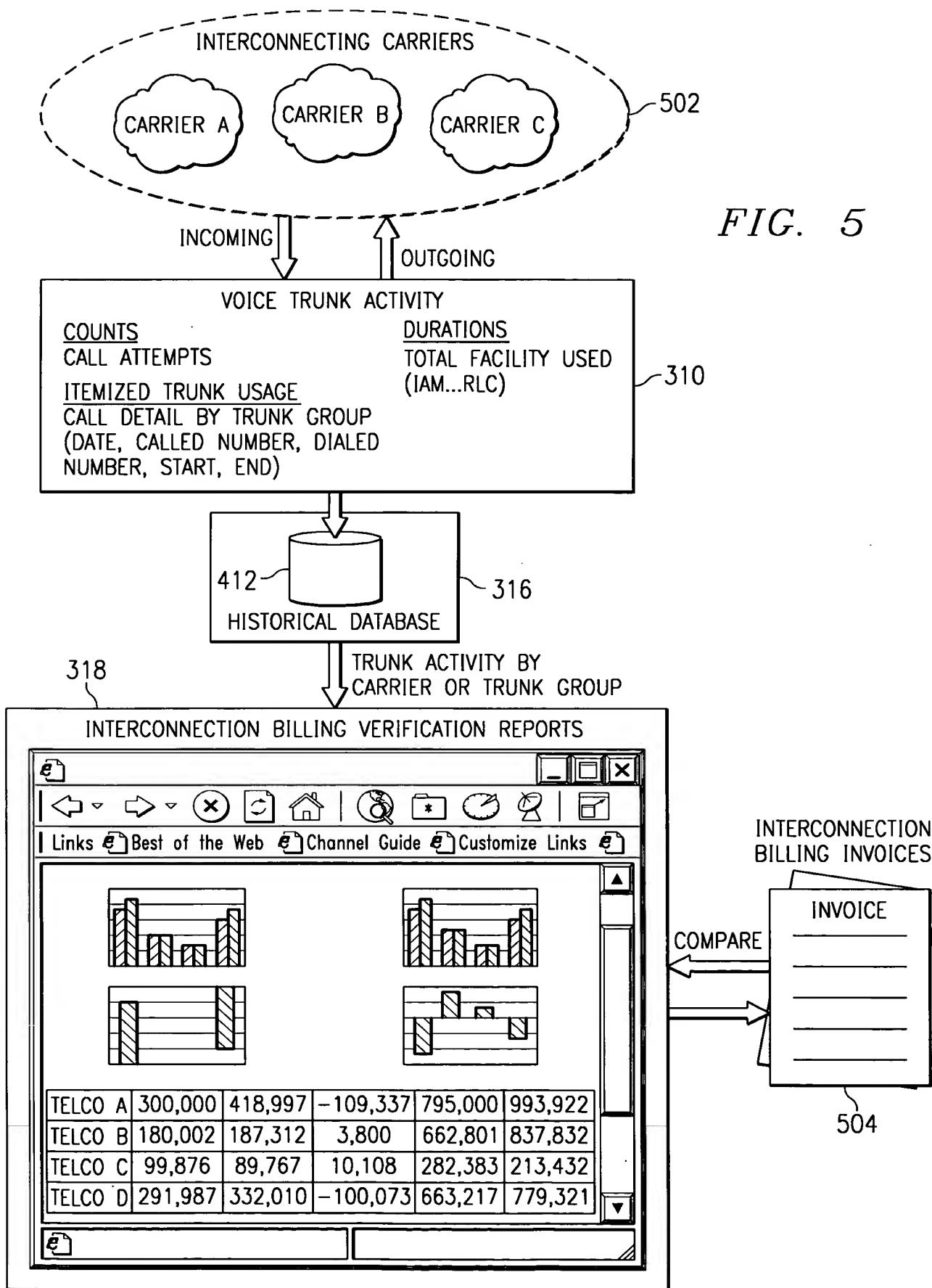
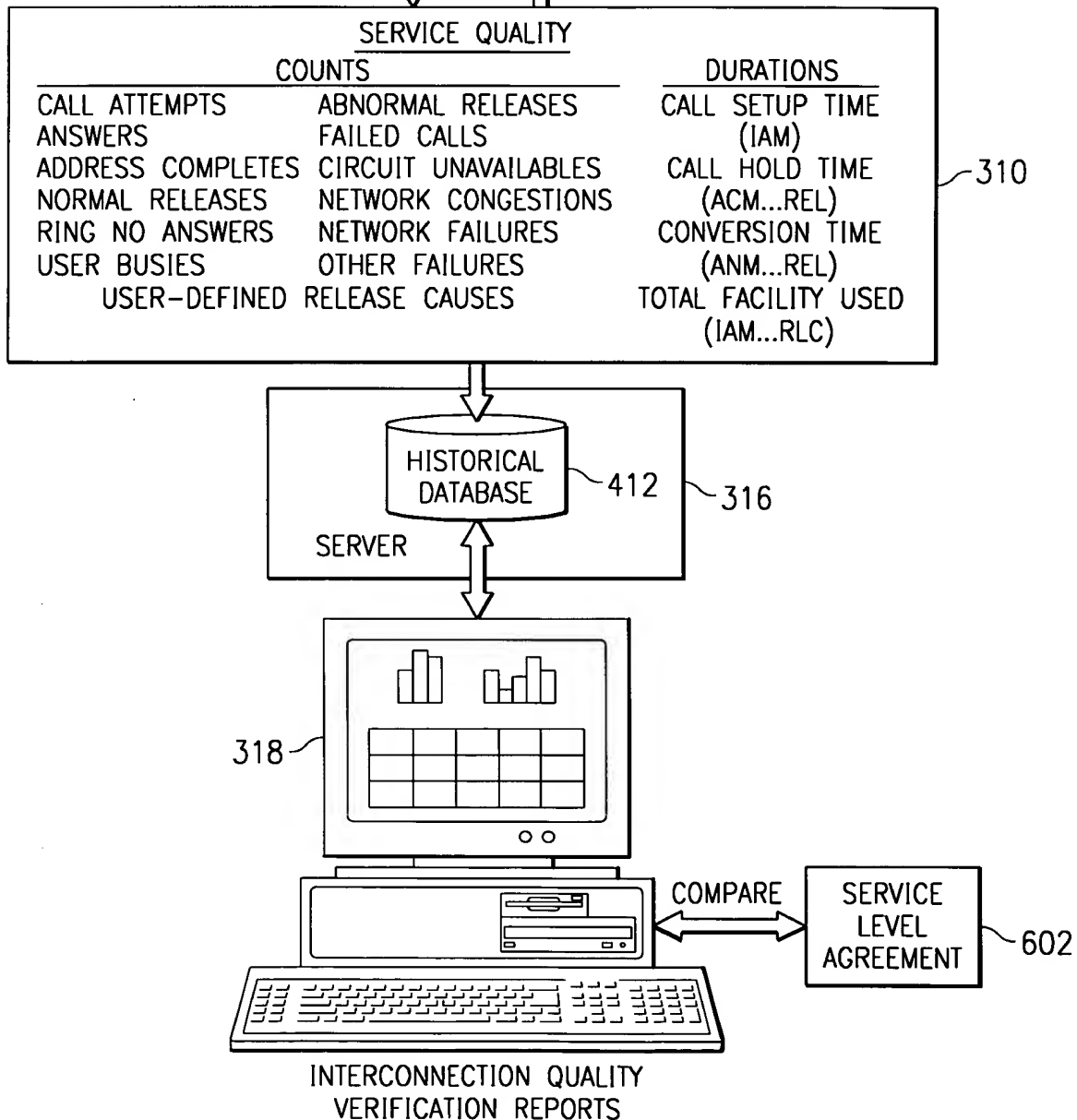


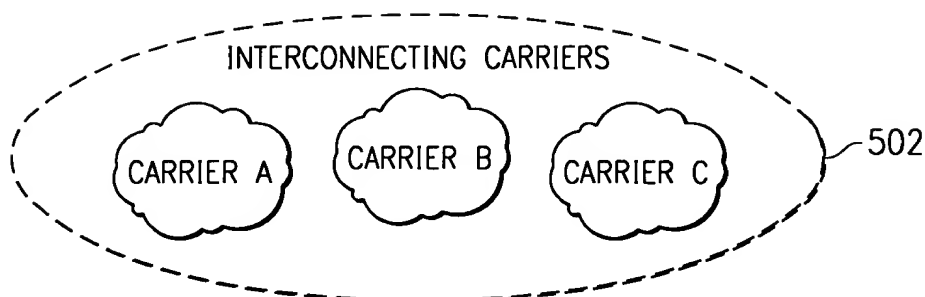
FIG. 5

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Diagram illustrating the structure of interconnecting carriers. A dashed oval labeled 502 contains three cloud-shaped elements labeled CARRIER A, CARRIER B, and CARRIER C. Below the oval, two vertical arrows point towards each other, indicating a connection or interaction.







INCOMING

OUTGOING

TRUNK USAGE
SIGNALING USAGE
SERVICE QUALITY

310

412

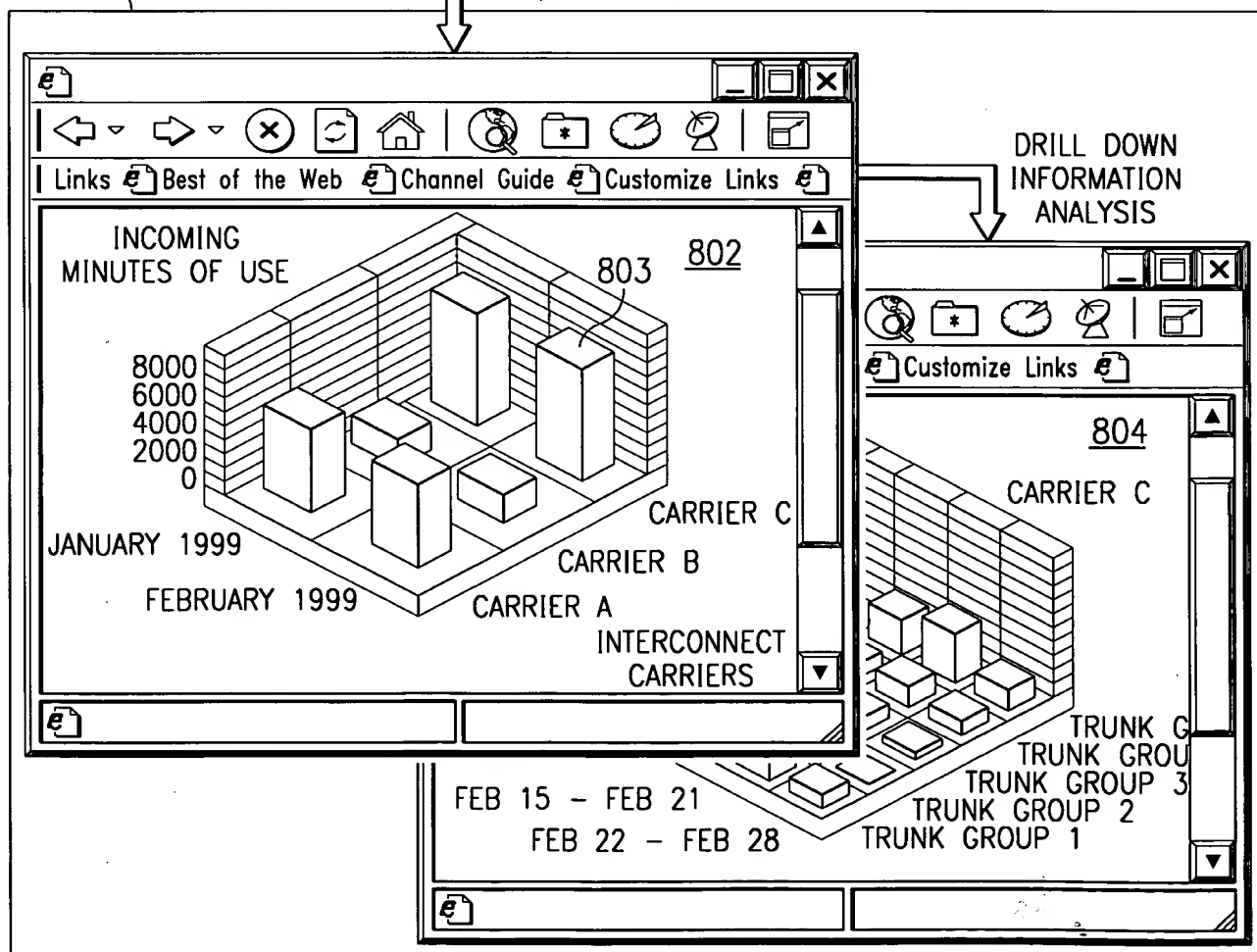
HISTORICAL DATABASE

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SELECTED USAGE
OR QUALITY DATA

FIG. 8



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